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WEATHER: Utah: Tonight and Thursday Generally Fair in South Portion; Generally Cloudy in North Portion.

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WIRES DOWN IN FIVE STATES

Tornado That Devastated Watertown, South Dakota, Does Minor Damage Along Path.

MANY CATTLE KILLED

Storm Visits Milwaukee—No Fatalities in City Reported—Houses Badly Damaged.

Chicago, June 24.—Last night's wind storm caused no loss of life and only minor damage to crops, flimsy structures and to telegraph and telephone wires. The storm was most severe at Watertown, South Dakota, where it reached the proportions of a tornado, destroyed buildings over thirty blocks and injured 22 persons. Wires are down in Wisconsin, Minnesota, parts of Iowa, South Dakota and the upper peninsula of Michigan. Information that no great damage was done outside Watertown was gained from railroads in the storm area.

The storm was electrical in its nature and in many places was accompanied by heavy rains, according to reports received at the local weather bureau today. The storm area covered South Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan. Major Hersey, the forecaster said.

"The storm was first noticed at Prince Albert, Canada, yesterday," said Major Hersey. "At 7 o'clock last night it turned south and became central at Huron, S. D. It traveled east over night and this morning was central at Escanaba, Mich., where over an inch of rain fell and the wind blew 30 miles an hour. The highest wind velocity was at Sioux City, Ia., 68 miles an hour. At St. Paul, Minn., its velocity was 56 miles.

The usual weather reports from Green Bay, La Crosse, Wis., Huron, S. D., and Ballantyne, Neb., were not received this morning owing to protracted wires.

Many Cattle Killed.
In the vicinity of Appleton, Wis., in Outagamie county, it was estimated loss of \$100,000 was caused by the storm which broke early today. A number of houses were wrecked and many cattle killed.

Considerable damage was wrought in Milwaukee by the tornado but no fatalities were reported. Chimneys were razed and several houses damaged. A number of houses at Watertown, Wis., are reported to have been blown down by the storm.

It is said to have been taken to the hospital suffering from injuries sustained during the tornado.

BAD CONDITIONS AT ACAPULCO

Federals Force Daily Loans from Citizens in Order to Subside.

TOWN IS HEMMED IN

Zapata Constitutionalists Have Federals Tightly Bottled Up—People Depressed.

On Board U. S. S. California, Mazatlan, Mex., June 24.—(By wireless to San Diego, Cal.)—Conditions at Acapulco, which have long been deplorable, are gradually becoming intolerable.

In order to subside, the federal garrison under General Salido is making forced daily loans, ranging from fifty cents gold to twenty-five dollars, on all civilians who have that much disposable wealth.

The Constitutionalists operating under the leadership of Zapata keep the town tightly hemmed in. The federal troops are restless and the citizens depressed.

This was the news brought here today by the Pacific Mail liner Peru, which also carried two refugees—an American named A. F. Flynn and Dr. C. Finehout, a Frenchman. They came down to the coast to the little banana port of San Blas, where the Peru picked them up.

BANK RECEIVER APPOINTED.
Corning, Ia., June 24.—Announcement was made here today of the appointment of P. C. Winter of Corning as receiver of the First National bank of Corning which was closed nearly two months ago.

PEACE PLANKS BEING WRITTEN

International Phase of Mexican Tangle Being Cleared Up Between Mediators and Delegates.

PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

Selection of Provisional President and Internal Questions Still Undecided.

Niagara Falls, Ont., June 24.—Further discussion of those planks of the peace program which relate to international differences between the United States and the Huerta government, occupied the mediators and delegates today, while waiting for a definite understanding of instructions issued to Constitutionalists agents who are expected to come here.

It was said that at least one of the planks would be framed as a protocol today and that the others would be agreed on by the end of the present week.

If the purpose of the principals is fulfilled, the international side of the controversy will be cleared up, leaving the question of selecting a provisional president and other internal problems to a conference of representatives of the Constitutionalists and the Huerta government.

Notwithstanding reports from New Orleans quoting Carranza spokesmen as casting doubt on the probability of such a meeting, confidence prevailed in American quarters that ultimately the two Mexican factions would be brought together.

New Orleans, June 24.—Alfredo Breceda, private secretary to General Carranza, and his emissary to Washington, left here today for Washington. He said he had nothing to add to his statement of yesterday that Carranza never would agree to meet Huerta representatives in an attempt to select a provisional president of Mexico.

KING ABDICATES SERVIAN THRONE

Second Son of Peter I. to Succeed—Action Taken Because of Ill Health.

Belgrade, Serbia, June 24.—King Peter I. of Serbia reported today to have abdicated the throne in favor of his second son, Prince Alexander.

The king left Belgrade in the afternoon for the baths at Vrnja, in the southern part of Serbia, and a note issued by the official agency in announcing the king's departure did not say he had abdicated, but confined itself to the statement that his majesty had signed a decree entrusting the government of Serbia during his absence from the capital to Crown Prince Alexander.

His eldest son, Prince George, in 1909, renounced his right of succession to the throne.

The king's action was taken because of ill health. A royal proclamation announcing the fact is to be issued.

A royal proclamation issued shortly afterward was as follows: "Owing to ill health, I am unable to perform my duties, and in accordance with paragraph 69 of the Serbian constitution, I confide the government of Serbia to my heir, The Crown Prince Alexander, during my illness."

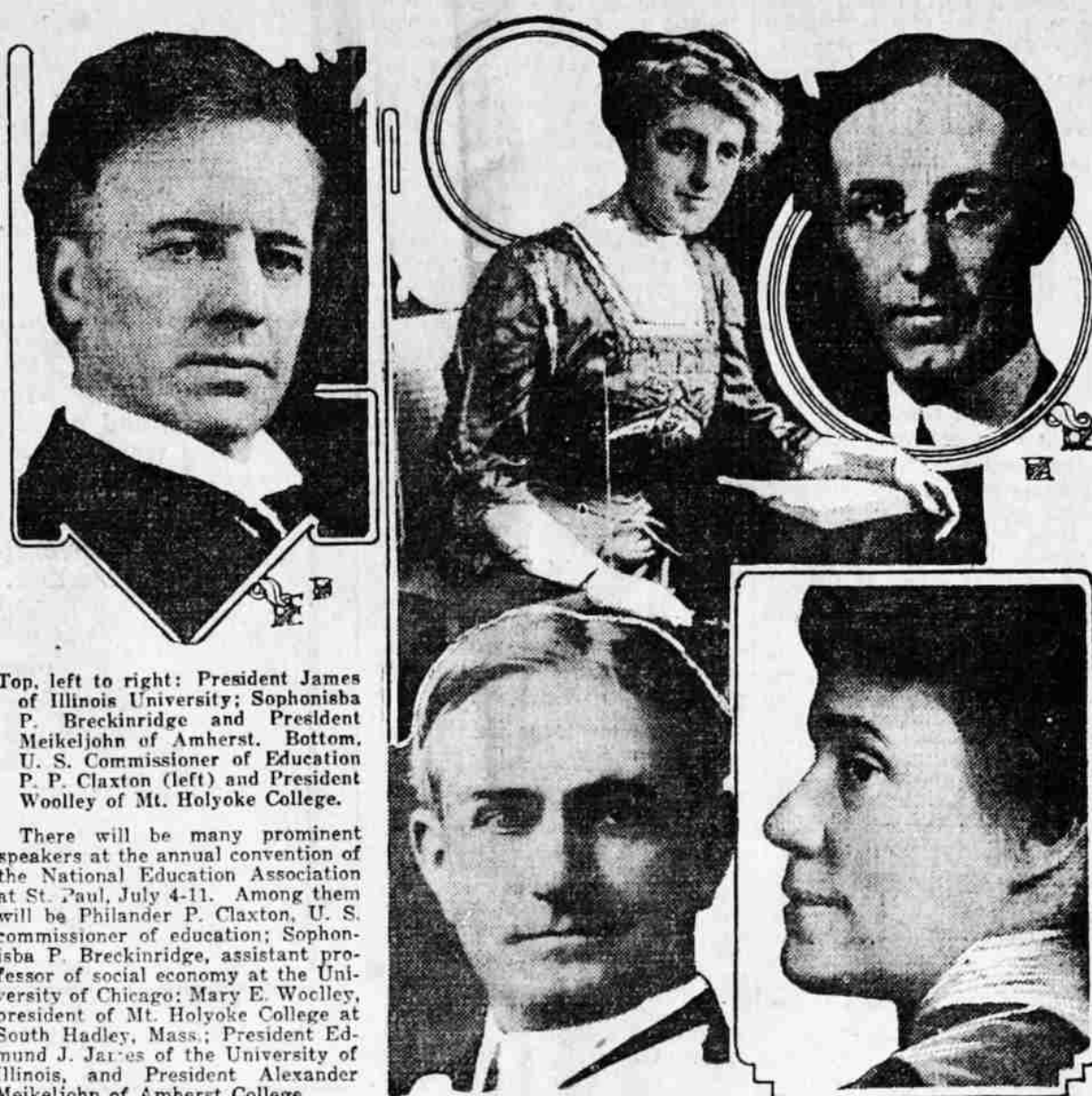
As it was known that King Peter was seriously ill, the first impression caused to the public by the issue of the proclamation was that His Majesty actually had abdicated, and there would be little surprise in court circles in Belgrade if today's action by the king should turn out to be merely a preliminary step to abdication. King Peter is said to have had in contemplation for some time.

PAN-HANDLE SYSTEM REDUCES DIVIDEND

Philadelphia, June 24.—The directors of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway, the Pan-Handle system, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania railroad, today passed the dividend on the common stock and reduced the dividend on the preferred stock to half of one per cent for the quarter.

The Pennsylvania company directors, the lines west of Pittsburgh, declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent.

PROMINENT EDUCATORS TO SPEAK AT ANNUAL N. E. A. CONVENTION



Top, left to right: President James P. Breckinridge and President Meikeljohn of Amherst. Bottom, U. S. Commissioner of Education P. P. Claxton (left) and President Woolley of Mt. Holyoke College.

VERDICT IN MAXIM CAFE CASE IS 'NOT GUILTY'

The case of Ogden City vs. Jerry Brown, known as the Maxim Cafe case, was continued this morning and occupied the entire session of the municipal court from 9 o'clock to noon.

The first witness of the morning was Mrs. Florence O'Neill Stanford, city recorder. Mrs. Stanford testified that neither the defendant nor F. C. Blankenship, the owner of the Maxim cafe, had a city liquor license.

P. J. Jensen, the second witness for the city, substantiated the testimony of R. H. Martin, which was given yesterday to the effect that he was one of the party to whom the liquor had been sold nearly an hour after the saloons of the city were closed. He also positively identified the defendant as being the man who served the liquor, Leroy Carroll, the third member of the dinner party, corroborated the testimony of the other two men.

William Eastman was the fourth witness for the city. He stated that he was served with liquor at the Maxim cafe at the same time the other three men were served, but he could not identify the defendant as the waiter who did the serving.

F. C. Blankenship was the first witness for the defense. He stated that Brown was not in Ogden on the night of June 17. In proof of his statement, he said that the defendant had gone to Salt Lake on the morning of the 17, and did not return until Thursday noon. As evidence of the truth of his statement, he placed before the court a check for \$20, which had passed through the Salt Lake clearing house, which, according to his statement, he exchanged with Brown for a similar amount of silver, just before Brown left for Salt Lake City. The witness also placed in evidence the cafe time-book, which, he explained, showed that Brown had not worked at the Maxim on the night in question. In addition to this, he said he had loaned Brown a mileage book. This record was closely examined by Assistant City Attorney Cook, who declared that the date on which Brown was not employed was the 16th, instead of the 17th.

The defendant next submitted his testimony. He stated that he went to Salt Lake City early in the afternoon of June 17. While there he went to the Kenyon hotel to get an acquaintance there to identify him so that he could get the check cashed. This party, he said, could be produced, if necessary.

After getting the check cashed, he passed most of the night at a negro club. He gave other proof of an alibi.

Michael Carini, the violin player at the Maxim, stated that he gave Manager Blankenship his Hamberger mileage book, which was given by the latter to Brown to pay his passage to and from Salt Lake. The mileage book, he said, was turned over to Brown by Blankenship on the morning of the 17th. He also testified that the defendant was not at the cafe on the night of the 17th.

Jimmy Tennessee, the piano player at the Maxim, testified that he saw the passing of the mileage book from Carini to Blankenship and also said that he was present when the book was returned to the violinist two days later. He also made the positive statement that the defendant, Jerry Brown, was not in the cafe on the night of June 17.

After the testimony was in, arguments were made at length by counsel and the case was turned over to the jury at 12 o'clock noon. After an hour's deliberation, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty and the defendant was discharged.

LEADERS WAIT FOR ROOSEVELT

Second Homecoming Causes Stir in New York—Progressives to Storm Oyster Bay.

COLONEL KEEPS BUSY

Governorship Candidacy to be Urged by State Chairman Robinson.

New York, June 24.—The second homecoming today of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt within two months caused almost as much of a stir among Progressive party leaders and friends of the former president as did his first on May 1 from South America. Today as last month, Col. Roosevelt's opinions on political questions drew Progressive leaders to this city and for some time the Roosevelt home at Oyster Bay will be the scene of many conferences.

From the Imperial came wireless messages yesterday stating that Col. Roosevelt had spent much of his time since the big liner sailed in working on the speech he will deliver on June 30 at Pittsburgh. He had entertained a party of friends at tea daily, the message added, and had confined his period of exercise to the early mornings. While on the trip Col. Roosevelt has been under the care of Dr. Broome, the ship's physician, and appears to have recovered entirely from the attacks of fever which gave his friends much concern on his arrival here from South America.

Fogs Delay Ship.
Fogs last night and early today were expected to cause the Imperator to reduce her speed and she may not reach Quarantine until tonight. Col. Roosevelt planned to leave the ship at Quarantine and go direct to Oyster Bay on board a yacht. Theodore Douglas Robinson, Progressive state chairman, and George W. Perkins were the only party leaders who expect to meet the Colonel and go with him to Oyster Bay. Mrs. Roosevelt also planned to meet the traveler on the yacht.

Despite Col. Roosevelt's declaration before he left England that he would not be a candidate for governor of New York state, Chairman Robinson declared that he had not given up hope and that he expected to be able to persuade his uncle to make the race. The demand that Mr. Roosevelt enter the gubernatorial race will be carried to Oyster Bay later in the week by Chauncey J. Hamlin, Progressive leader of Erie county. O. B. Phillips, recently acting state chairman and Horace S. Wilkinson of Syracuse.

Demurrers Filed.—In the case of Vinie Selder, administratrix of the estate of Burrell Neider against the Utah Light & Railway company et al the plaintiff has filed demurrers to the answer of Dr. H. B. Forbes and Ogden city, defendants, contending that the answers do not specifically state the acts of alleged contributory negligence and that the affirmative pleadings do not state facts sufficient to constitute a defense.

WILSON REVOKES FOUR SENTENCES

Men Convicted of "Dynamite Conspiracy" to be Given Freedom at Once.

18 DENIED CLEMENCY

New Trials Granted to Six—No Memorandum Given Out by Government.

Washington, June 24.—President Wilson today commuted to expire at once the sentences imposed on Michael J. Hannon of Scranton, Pa.; Frank H. Painter of Omaha, Neb.; Fred J. Mooney of Duluth, Minn., and William Shupe of Chicago, all convicted in the "dynamite conspiracy" cases.

The other two defendants, including the leaders, must begin serving their sentences tomorrow in Leavenworth penitentiary. Clemency for John H. Barry and Paul J. Morris, both of St. Louis, was withheld, while they have opportunity to submit separate petitions.

Hannon had been sentenced to three years; Painter to two; Mooney and Shupe each got a year and a day. Barry got four years and Morris three.

Others Denied Clemency.
Those whose applications for clemency were finally denied and the terms they must serve are as follows:

Frank M. Ryan, head of the Iron workers, Chicago, seven years.
Eugene A. Clancy, San Francisco, six years.
Michael J. Young, Boston, six years.
Frank C. Webb, New York, six years.
Philip A. Cooley, New Orleans, six years.

John T. Butler, Buffalo, N. Y., six years.
Charles T. Baum, Minneapolis, three years.
Henry W. Legleitner, Pittsburgh, three years.
Ernest G. W. Basy, Indianapolis, Ind., three years.
J. E. Munsey, Salt Lake City, six years.

Peter J. Smith, Cleveland, O., four years.
Murray L. Pennell, Springfield, Ill., three years.
W. Bert Brown, Kansas City, three years.
Edward Smythe, Peoria, Ill., three years.
George Anderson, Cleveland, three years.

Frank J. Higgins, Boston, two years.
Michael J. Cunnane, Philadelphia, three years.
William E. Riddin, Milwaukee, three years.

No Memorandum Given Out.
No memorandum was given out accompanying the president's action, as some times is done in such cases, but it was understood the president followed closely the recommendations of Attorney General McReynolds. The four men whose sentences were commuted had a minor part in the conspiracy, the government charged.

The twenty-four men who applied for pardon were convicted of conspiracy and the transportation of dynamite in interstate commerce for the wrecking of buildings and other structures in a labor war between the Structural Iron Workers' organization and the employers.

The noted cases grew directly out of the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times buildings and the confessions of the McNamara brothers.

New Trials Granted.
New trials have been granted and are pending for the following: Olf A. Teittmoose, San Francisco; William J. McCann, Kansas City; James E. Ray, Peoria, Ill.; Richard H. Houlhan, Chicago; Fred Sherman, Indianapolis; William Bernhardt, Cincinnati.

Chicago, June 24.—Elijah N. Zooline, of counsel for the defendants in the dynamite cases, when informed of President Wilson's action on the petition for pardons, said that the convicted men would report at Leavenworth tomorrow with the exception of Eugene Clancy, who, as he must travel from California, was allowed until Friday to begin serving sentence.

The defendants understand that the last card has been played in their behalf," said Mr. Zooline. "Their organization in a recent bulletin informed them that those defendants to whom pardons were refused must keep their words and report at the penitentiary."

CECILIA GROW CASE GOES TO JURY

The hearing of testimony in the case of Cecilia Grow, administratrix, against the Oregon Short Line company was concluded this afternoon before Judge J. C. Call and the case submitted to the jury.

Yesterday afternoon Alvin Jensen, who was an eye witness to the collision which caused the death of Cyrus L. Grow, corroborated the testimony given by J. N. Orr, who said that the oncoming train was within a few feet of the car on which he and Grow were working before it was observed. He also said that Grow was thrown about 150 feet from the track.

Engineer E. L. Thompson, who was at the throttle of the engine drawing the train that collided with the car, testified in substance what was said by other witnesses and he claimed that it was difficult for him to clearly see the car in head.

The depositions of E. W. Hunt, J. P. Walker and Charles Schmidt, who were also eye witnesses to the tragedy and who testified at the former trial of the case, were read into the record. Arguments began at 2:30.

TRAYNER GETS AWAY FROM CHAIN GANG AND IS PURSUED

Barney Trayner, who received a thirty-day sentence Monday morning in the municipal court on the charge of petit larceny, escaped from the chain gang yesterday afternoon, while working at the city cemetery.

He was seen this morning by Guard Henry Lever, near the Southern Pacific shops. Lever was on his way home to lunch, but on seeing Trayner, jumped from his bicycle and gave chase. The latter, however, recognized his pursuer and running into the shops, eluded the guard and is still at large.

The committee, in its communication, included private as well as public dances, but the commissioners were of the opinion that they would not have jurisdiction over private dancing parties.

Bids for the repapering, repainting and otherwise renovating the interior of the city hall building were received and referred to the city engineer for examination.

GROWING SPIRIT OF TOLERATION

Hebrews Co-operate in Bible Reading in Public Schools.

GOOD DONE IN CAMPS

Saloons and Dance Halls Close and Justice Court Out of Business.

Chicago, June 24.—"Co-operation by Protestant, Catholic and Jew in the matter of Bible reading in the public schools is an indication of the growing spirit of brotherly regard and toleration," said Mayron Lawrance, secretary of the International Sunday School association at the session of the fourteenth triennial convocation here today. "This is a great step forward in the study and recognition of the Bible. Encouragement of the reading in public of those portions of the Bible agreed on by all is the aim of such co-operation."

"Perhaps one of the most significant advances that has been made in Sunday school work is that of recognizing the church and the Sunday school in the regular work of the day school," said Mr. Lawrance. "The different religious bodies have apparently been taking it for granted that there is no common ground of co-operation in the matter of Bible study, but such is not the fact and we have found that our fears that reconciliation and co-operation in this work were impossible were groundless. Surely, the giving of credits in public school for Bible study done in the churches is a new thing to most of us and opens up possibilities we had never dreamed of."

Team Work of Schools.
In Colorado and North Dakota hearty team work between the public school teachers' associations and the Sunday school teachers' associations, declared Mr. Lawrance, is projected in the plans under way in those states.

The organization of Sunday schools in Arizona has affected the closing of many saloons and public dance halls in mining towns, according to a report today by the Rev. W. C. Merritt of Claremont, Cal., to the convention.

"Previous to the organization of the Sunday school in our town," said Dr. Merritt, "there were seven saloons and three dance halls. In three years four saloons and all the dance halls closed. There has not been a public dance there in a year, not shooting up of the town for months. The justice court is about out of business, and it is all due to the Sunday school."

"Dr. Merritt urged greater support for the work in the southwestern states.

"Many of our schools among the 'dry farmers' in the desert country constitute the only systematic organized religious services they have."

FIRE CAUSES HEAVY LOSS

Manchester, N. H., Business Block, Estimated Value \$800,000, Destroyed.

Manchester, N. H., June 24.—Fire here today caused a loss estimated at \$800,000. The blaze destroyed the five-story brick building of the John B. Varick company, hardware, jewelry and photographic supplies dealers, and a three-story brick annex, and spread to an annex of R. G. Sullivan's cigar store.

CHIEF OF POLICE IS INSTRUCTED TO END RAGGING

In response to a communication from a committee appointed by Parson's classes of the stakes of Weber county, requesting that steps be taken to prevent ragging at dancing parties in the city, the board of commissioners this morning issued instructions to Chief of Police W. I. Norton to "stop ragging, immoral or suggestive dancing in public dance halls."

The commissioners further thought favorably of the plan of the committee to have appointed special officers to act without pay to enforce the regulation. The special officers would be expected to visit dancing places and see to it that ragging be eliminated.

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Ladies' Days. Thursday & Friday Baseball Tomorrow OGDEN vs BOISE
GLENWOOD 3:30 EVERY DAY THIS WEEK